

DETAILED ACTION

1. This is a follow up to the Notice of Allowance issued on March 20, 2009.

EXAMINER'S AMENDMENT

2. An examiner's amendment to the record appears below. Should the changes and/or additions be unacceptable to applicant, an amendment may be filed as provided by 37 CFR 1.312. To ensure consideration of such an amendment, it **MUST** be submitted no later than the payment of the issue fee.

Authorization for this examiner's amendment was given in a telephone interview with Roger Burleigh on 04/23/2009.

The application has been amended as follows:

Claim 6: The tamper-resistant identity module according to claim ~~5~~ 1, wherein ...

Claim 20: The client system according to claim ~~49~~ 15, wherein ...

Claim 21: The client system according to claim ~~49~~ 15, wherein ...

Claim 31: The client system according to claim ~~30~~ 28, wherein ...

Claim 34: The client system according to claim ~~30~~ 28, wherein ...

Claims 6, 20, 21, 31 and 34 were referring to the claims that have been cancelled and incorporated into their respective parent claims by the Applicant. Claims 6, 20, 21, 31 and 34 is amended to refer to these respective parent claims.

Conclusion

Any inquiry concerning this communication or earlier communications from the examiner should be directed to SHAHROUZ YOUSEFI whose telephone number is

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(571) 270-3558. The examiner can normally be reached on Monday-Friday 9:00-5:00pm.

If attempts to reach the examiner by telephone are unsuccessful, the examiner's supervisor, Gilberto Barron can be reached on 571-272-3799. The fax phone number for the organization where this application or proceeding is assigned is 571-273-8300.

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